**Post Operative Treatment Room Services**

<Patient Name>

<Patient address>

Date: <Todays date>

NHS No. <NHS number>

Dear < Patient Name >

We wanted to inform you that when we refer you to see a specialist and you may have a surgical procedure as part of them seeing you, if you need things like stitch removal, dressing changes and other similar things, we will no longer be able to provide that for you at the surgery.

Do not worry however, the ICB (the organisation who arranges medical services) and the hospitals are aware of this and alternative post-surgical reviews like that above will be arranged for you so you will still get the recommended follow up after your procedure.

We hope the above makes sense, but rest assured, you do not need to do anything, and your specialist team will make the arrangements for you.

Yours sincerely

<Sender name>

**On behalf of <Sender details>**